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CANADIAN BANKRUPTCY LAW.

The Deputation of London and Liverpool Merchants to Sir John Macdonald.

SIR JOHN'S REPLY.

A deputation representing the leading wholesale houses in London engaged in the Canadian trade, and accompanied by two gentlemen from the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce, waited upon Sir John A. Macdonald at Batt's Hotel, on Thursday morning, the 23rd ult., in order to present to him the following memorial, which had been very influentially signed both in London and Manchester.—

To the Right Hon. Sir John A. Macdonald, Premier of the Dominion of Canada.

The undersigned merchants of the United Kingdom, being largely interested in the commercial prosperity of the Dominion of Canada, beg respectfully to call the attention of the Government to the following facts:—1. That since the repeal of the Insolvent Act of 1875 it has become impossible for creditors to ascertain their real position and powers with regard to insolvent debtors, the most eminent commercial lawyers having been unable to give authoritative advice upon the subject, owing to the confused state of the law, differing as it does in different Provinces. 2. That it follows that creditors, especially those at a distance, are practically at the mercy of the dishonest debtor, experience having shown that there is no available means of preventing a debtor from assigning all his assets by preferential payments or bills of sale to favored creditors, and leaving the rest without remedy. 3. That the continuance of such a state of things, however its real tendency may be disguised by the present prosperity of the Dominion, is entirely fatal to that confident expectation of fair treatment which is at the basis of all trade; and must in the end most seriously impair the general commercial credit of the Dominion, to the great injury of the common interests of the country. Your petitioners would therefore pray you to introduce into the Canadian Parliament or to favour the introduction of a Bill which should at the least make such preferences by an insolvent debtor impossible, and should provide for the expeditious, cheap, and equitable distribution of assets in all cases where a trader is unable to meet his lawful engagements; and your petitioners would express the hope that a means may be found to make it to the interest of the debtor in all cases to place himself unreservedly in the hands of the general body of creditors as soon as he finds himself insolvent. And your petitioners will ever pray.

Mr. Samuel Morley, M. P., who introduced the deputation, read letters from the Manchester and Liverpool Chambers of Commerce strongly supporting the memorial, and pointed out the need on behalf of Canadian as well as English creditors of some arrangement which should deprive the dishonest debtor of his present facilities for assigning the whole estate to particular creditors, and, in illustration, mentioned a case where a debtor had used the threat of a preferential assignment to force his creditors to accept a composition.

Sir John Macdonald, in reply, pointed out that, in addition to the great and essential difficulties of the subject of bankruptcy, there were in Canada special difficulties arising from the concurrent powers of the Dominion and Provincial Legislatures. He himself voted for the continuance of the Act of 1875; but there was too strong a feeling against it in the Canadian Parliament. It was considered that the facility of discharge under it was demoralizing the traders of the country. The Legislatures are exceedingly anxious to protect the honest trader, and every effort will be made to enact such prohibitions as will prevent fraudulent preferences of any kind; but the practical difficulty is that, though the Dominion Legislature is competent to deal with insolvency and bankruptcy in general, it is doubtful whether a partial measure directed only against such preferences would not belong to the Provincial Legislatures; and before proposing any Bill covering the whole ground the Canadian Government desires to wait and see the result of the legislation now expected from the Imperial Parliament.

STRANGELY enough, the saloon keepers of Vancouver object to the following, from the pen and published in the paper of Rev L. A. Banks. "I write this stretched upon my back with a bullet hole through my leg; the fruit of a deliberate conspiracy to murder me formed by the saloon keepers." In a published card they announce their intention and determination to have the criminal accusation investigated at the next term of the District Court.

EIGHT thousand of Mr. Bradlaugh's constituents have petitioned the House of Commons against his admission to the seat he claims.

CRY OF THE CHILDREN.

The Sulphur Slaves of Sicily Whose Little ones Toil and Suffer.

The sulphur is extracted and brought to the surface by human beings, and indeed, chiefly by children. Mrs. Browning's "Cry of the Chidren" might have been written in the sulphur mines of Sicily. Hundreds and hundreds of children, who have scarcely the form of human beings, are sent down the steep, slippery stairs into the muddy, watery depths. Here they are laden with as much material as they can sustain, and they must reascend with it on their backs, stumbling at every step, often falling back into the bottom of the pit with broken limbs, or even death. The elder ones, write an eye-witness, arrive at the pit's mouth, shrieking, the little ones crying and sobbing. The mortality exceeds that of any other province of Italy; the statistics of the leva show an incredible number of lame and deformed, and of young men of one-and-twenty totally unfit for millitary duty. At the Congress of Milan, Duke de Cesaro di Colonna, one of the wealthiest proprietors of the island, and Deputy Luzzatti have raised their voices in protest against this barbarous, inhuman system. In other provinces laws have been passed to limit the number of working hours, to prevent women and children from entering on occupations that endanger their lives and health, but in Sicily everything is in an abnormal condition, and people answer that remedy is impossible. The contractors protest that to deprive them of the cheap work of children would be a violation of their contract. The mothers themselves exclaim that to prevent the children from working in the mines is equal to a sentence of starvation, and even members of Parliament prate of the "liberties of the individual," and meanwhile the children toil and suffer, are maimed and murdered in the name of "right" and "liberty." Philanthropic Enrope shudders at the scenes in "Uncle Tom's Cabin;" now that slavery is abolished let the abolitionists go to Sicily and they will find fresh food for their philanthropy. For in the southern States the little slaves were property. There was point to be gained by feeding, clothing, rearing them for the home plantations or for the market. But in Sicily no one is responsible for the children. When one drops or dies ten are ready to take his place, and the burden that falls from the lifeless skeleton of the one is straped on to the shoulders of another without pause or murmur.

Married at Sight.

[Milwaukee Sentinel.]

Farmer Swain, of Peshtigo, was one of the happiest of mortals yesterday. A widower, the owner of a fifty-acre farm, he desired and came to the city to form a new matrimonial alliance. He discovered his affinity in a well-known woman on the West Side named Rika K. Schwanz, embellished her with jewelry at a second-hand store, purchased her a long white veil, which trailed on the walk behind her, and large loops of the same material for her shoulders. They were married by a Justice, and proceeded northward on the evening train, the bride wearing her veil and puffs, and the bridegroom, arrayed as he came, carrying under his arm a papered bundle, through which an end of a long loaf of brown bread protruded. They found all the people at the depot in smiles, and declared that Milwaukeeans were the happiest people on the face of the globe.

A. GILMORE,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
Johnson Street.

Has just received a large consignment of Spring and Summer Goods direct from the best English and Canadian factories, consisting of Men's and Boy's Suits, Shirts and Drawers of all kinds, Socks, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes, Oilskin and Rubber Goods, which will be sold twenty per cent. less than regular prices.

Please call before purchasing elsewhere.

P. S.—Garments made to order in the latest and most approved style. 3m

BURNETT'S COCOAINE
Is Renowned as a Pure and Effective Hair Dressing in Every Quarter of the World.

For thirty years it has been a favorite with the people and a leader with the trade. The name COCOAINE" has become a valuable property. Burnett & Co. have established their *sole* right to its use in several suits at law, thus protecting the public and themselves from imposition.

The superiority of BURNETT'S FLAVORING EXTRACTS consists in their perfect purity and great strength.

Commerce House.

NEW GOODS EX DAKOTA.—Lawn Tennis, Cherry Ripe, Tuscan and Porcupine Hats and Bonnets, French Bonnet and Hat Wreaths, Bugle and Steel Laces and Ornaments, Tuscan and Cremi Lace, Shaded Chenille and Bugle Feathers, Gold, Cremi, Black, White and Colored Tips, Bulgaria and Leghorn Shady Hats in Ladies' and Children's.

D. SPENCER.

THE people of the West owe a debt of gratitude to Dr. Ayer for the production Ayer's Ague Cure. Its timely use will save much suffering and much discouragement, and we recommend it with the greatest confidence in its ability to do all that is promised for it.

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

BARQUE ZOE, FROM LIVERPOOL.

NEITHER CAPT. CAMPBELL NOR THE UNdersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
R. C. JANION, Consignee.
per W. Monteith.
Victoria, July 21, 1881. jy21

BARQUE ZOE, CAPT. CAMPBELL, FROM LIVERPOOL

THE ABOVE VESSEL WILL COMMENCE discharging THIS (Thursday) NOON.
Consignees are requested to call at the office, pay freight and receive orders for their goods.
All goods left on the wharf after 5 o'clock p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners. R. C. JANION, Consignee.
per W. Monteith.
Victoria, July 21, 1881. jy21

FOR WRANGEL AND PORTS IN ALASKA.

THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP Co.'s steamer
"LOS ANGELES,"
Will sail from San Francisco for the several ports in Alaska Territory
ON MONDAY, 1ST AUCUST, 1881,
Via PORT TOWNSEND and VICTORIA.
For rates of Freight and Passage apply to
WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Agents.
Victoria, B.C., 22nd July, 1881. jy25

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

CARRYING H. M. MAILS AND W. F. & CO'S EXPRESS



THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP CO'S FIRST CLASS STEAMER
DAKOTA,
MORSE, Captain,
Will sail for San Francisco on
SATURDAY, JULY 30TH, AT 3 P. M.
After the arrival of the New Westminster steamer.

Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.
Freight and Baggage for shipment by her are required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 P. M. on Friday, 29th inst.
The steamer Woodside will convey passengers from our wharf at 1 P. M. on date of sailing.
For Freight and Passage apply to
jy26 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

CHANGE IN
STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

THE STEAMERS OF THE EAST COAST ROUTE will run as formerly,
COMMENCING TUESDAY, THE 19TH INSTANT.
MAKING FORTNIGHTLY TRIPS TO
NANAIMO, COMOX & WAY PORTS
AND RETURNING ON FRIDAYS.
And every Alternate Week will make
TWO TRIPS TO NANAIMO,
Leaving Victoria on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, returning on WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS

The Steamer Maude has been withdrawn from the Nanaimo and New Westminster Route.
jy13 JOSEPH SPRATT.

NOTICE.

NEITHER CAPTAIN THOMSEN NOR THE UNdersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the German steamship Quinta. J. ENGELHARDT, Agent.
Victoria, 2d July, 1881. jy3

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE IS only 16½ feet at ordinary low tides on the north end of the Rocky Patch in Baynes Channel, and lying nearly midway between Cadboro and Channel Points, and marked on the Admiralty Chart No. 577 as having 4¼ fathoms upon it. The reef extends about 250 feet North and South and 150 feet East and West.
The sailing directions given in the *Vancouver Pilot* in passing through the Inner Channel will clear this reef.
E. REVELY,
Agent Marine and Fisheries.
Victoria, B.C., 11th July, 1881. jy12 3m

STEAMBOAT OPPOSITION.

THE NEW, SWIFT AND COMMODIOUS STEAMboat
CASSIAR
Is now making Regular Trips, carrying Freight and Passengers at the following popular rates
FREIGHT.
New Westminster to Yale, per ton.....$2 00
PASSAGE.
New Westminster to Yale.....$2 00
Meals and Beds.....50
Yale to Victoria.....3 00
Yale to New Westminster, Cabin.....1 00
do do Deck.....50

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES GREAT PLEASure in informing the traveling public that he has completed arrangements for running the above steamer between New Westminster and Yale, calling at all way ports and landing freight and passengers, and that he is prepared to contract for Freight, Cattle, Sheep, etc., for the remainder of the season at the Lowest Current Rates. For full particulars apply on board.
Travelers and Shippers are particularly requested to report to the Manager any neglect of duty on the part of any officer connected with this line.
CHAS. T. MILLARD, Manager.
Victoria, June 30th, 1881. jy1 1m

STEAMERS CASSIAR AND CEM.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST Steamers Cassiar and Gem will please present the same to the undersigned for payment; and all persons are hereby cautioned not to furnish any goods to said steamers unless by written order furnished by CHAS. T. MILLARD,
Manager.
Victoria, June 30th, 1881. jy1 1m

STEAMER "CALIFORNIA."

ALL BUSINESS WITH THIS STEAMER WILL in future be transacted by the undersigned, as Agents for the Pacific Coast Steamship Co.
WELCH, RITHET & CO.
Victoria, 29th June, 1881. je30 1m

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Cormorant Street,
BETWEEN GOVERNMENT AND STORE STS., VICTORIA, B. C.
Importers, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
TEA, SUGAR, RICE, OPIUM, NUT OIL
And Chinese Merchandise.
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PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS CAREFULLY prepared for Public Buildings or Private Residences, and the usual business of an Architect promptly executed 2m

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BOOTS & SHOES
EX CITY OF QUEBEC,
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CENTS' GRAIN HIDE & CALF WATERTIGHT BOOTS
CENTS' CALF SHOOTING BOOTS,
CENTS' CALF & KID MOLIERE TIES,
CENTS' PATENT LEATHER COURT SHOES,
CENTS' PATENT LEATHER PUMPS,
(SOMETHING UNIQUE.)

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LEATHER, CANVAS AND GRAINHIDE
A LARGE SAMPLE LOT OF
LADIES' BOOTS, CHILDREN'S PATENT LEATHER STRAP SHOES.

THE GENUINE
LAWN TENNIS SHOES
With Flexible Rubber Bottoms for Ladies and Gentlemen
THE ENGLISH
RUNNING SHOE.
THE ABOVE ARE MADE EXPRESSLY TO ORDER
AND WILL BE SOLD AT
LOWEST CASH PRICES.

H. MANSELL,
je23 VICTORIA, B. C.

COLLEGIATE AND HIGH SCHOOL,
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.,
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THIS INSTITUTION, OPEN TO BOTH SEXES, and possessing facilities unrivalled in the province for furnishing instruction in a High School and Collegiate course, is patronized by every section of the province and all the Protestant denominations. Pupils prepared for matriculation in any University, or for Teachers' Certificates in the various provincial grades. Separate Boarding Houses for male and female pupils, where they will be under the constant supervision of Principal and Vice-Principal respectively. Every possible provision for the physical, mental and moral welfare of the pupils, who will be expected to attend Divine Service on the Sabbath in Churches preferred by their parents or guardians.
EXPENSES: Tuition, in full course, $15 per quarter; Music, with use of piano or organ, $16 per quarter; Board, with furnished room, lights and fuel, $4 per week; Washing, sheets, per doz.
Further information upon application to any member of the Board. T. ROBSON,
P. O. Box 68. Secretary.
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PATENT BADGER HAIR TOOTH BRUSHES
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GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER,
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And all other Patent Medicines. Prescriptions compounded.
Drugs, etc., forwarded to any part of the Province.
Kay's Coagaline for mending glass, crockery, etc.
DR. JACKSON MAY BE CONSULTED GRATIS DAILY FROM 10 TO 12 A.M. AND FROM 7 TO 9 P. M. AT HIS OFFICE AND DRUG STORE. RESIDENCE, MICHIGAN STREET, JAMES BAY.
MESSAGES FROM THE COUNTRY PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. de5

HOME-MADE FURNITURE
SOLD CHEAPER THAN IMPORTED FURNITURE
INTENDING PURCHASERS ARE CORDIALLY invited to call and convince themselves of the fact
J. SEHL
Is now prepared with STEAM POWER and the latest improved Machinery to manufacture every class of Furniture at such
EXTREMELY LOW PRICES
As will defy competition from imported goods.
Full Bedroom Sets from $30 up; Extension Dining Tables from $12 up; Chairs from 75c. up.
Satisfactory workmanship guaranteed.
Wood turning, scroll & band sawing done to order
ALSO—Received ex recent arrivals a large and well selected stock of Tapestry and Brussels
CARPET, FLOOR OILCLOTH LINOLEUM, ETC.,
Which will be sold at the lowest prices for Cash.
Window blinds, curtains, cornices and poles, picture frames, moulding, perambulators, velocipedes &c. Also, an assortment of marbleized iron mantlepieces and grates complete at very low prices.
je26 J. SEHL, Government

FOR THE FINEST AND BEST
CAMBRIDGE AND PINAFORE
SAUSAGES
AND THE
BEST BREAKFAST BACON & HAMS
GO TO
JULIUS BARRAN, S.M.A., *Cantab*,
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HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR
HIDES, SHEEP AND DEER SKINS
OFFICE REMOVED TO WHARF STREET, DIRECTLY OPPOSITE J. P. DAVIES & CO'S AUCTION ROOMS.
H. BORNSTEIN.
AGENT for Louis Sloss & Co., San Francisco. jy8

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS OF THE LATE SAMUEL NESBITT
Will be carried on as heretofore by the widow under the name of
NESBITT & CO.,
And she trusts that the liberal patronage extended to her late husband will be continued to her
ALL ORDERS GIVEN AT THE
BAKERY, COR. YATES AND BROAD STS.
Or forwarded by mail, will be promptly attended to. je12 1m

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE UNDERsigned are requested to settle on or before the 1st of August next, otherwise the accounts will be placed in the hands of a solicitor for collection.
LANGE & SON.
Victoria, June 24th, 1881. je25

HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND SALOONS.

PARK HOTEL,
BEACON HILL,
VICTORIA, B. C.

THIS COMMODIOUS AND HANDSOMELY FURnished Hotel is now open for the reception of guests. It is charmingly situated in the suburbs of the Capital City of British Columbia, overlooks the Straits and commands a fine view of the Olympian Range and adjoining scenery.
EXCELLENT SEA BATHING within a few yards of the Hotel. my19 3m

INTERNATIONAL HOTEL,
ESQUIMALT TOWN.

THE BEST OF ACCOMMODATIONS OF EVERY kind guaranteed. Excellent Board, Good Beds.
The house has 14 fine rooms and accommodations for 40 Lodgers. Best brands of
WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS
STEPHEN JONES.
Esquimalt, July 18, 1881. jy19

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THIS WELL KNOWN AND POPULAR HOTEL being one of the largest Fire-proof Brick Buildings in town, containing
FIFTY WELL FURNISHED AND VENTILATED ROOMS
Is now open for the accommodation of citizens and the Traveling Public.
Good accommodation for Ladies and Children.
Good Large Parlor, with free use of Piano

Board and Lodging per Week.....$5 0
Board per Week.....4 00
Single Meals.....25
Lodgings 25 and 50 cents.
mh12 B. F. DILLON, Proprietor.

NOTICE.

MORTON HOUSE,
SPENCE'S BRIDGE,
ON THE SUNNY SIDE OF THOMPSON RIVER.

ON THE FIRST OF JULY NEXT THE UNDERsigned will open the premises known as "John Murray's" at Spence's Bridge,
AS A FIRST-CLASS HOTEL,
And will endeavor to deserve a fair share of public patronage.
C. MORTON.
☞ The very BEST OF WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS will always be kept. jy5 6w

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FORT HOPE, FRASER RIVER,
OFFERS THE BEST ACCOMMODATIONS, grandest scenery, and finest shooting and trout fishing in season in the province. The cuisine is under the management of Mrs. James.
Every attention paid to the comfort of guests. Location healthful and pleasant. Families and Tourists will find this hotel a most delightful resort.
☞ Charges very reasonable. Apply personally or by letter to JOSEPH JAMES,
jy13dw Proprietor.

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BAKERY & RESTAURANT,
NOS. 79-81 GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.
REDUCED TO SAN FRANCISCO PRICES!
RESTAURANT AND OYSTER SALOON.
CONFECTIONERY OF ALL KINDS.
FRESH BREAD, PIES & CAKES delivered to all parts of the City.
jy9 M. YOUNG, Proprietor

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CUSTOM HOUSE BLANKS
FOR SALE AT
THE COLONIST
STATIONERY STORE,
NEXT THE POSTOFFICE.

ELECTRIC LIGHT.
Municipality of the City of Victoria,
BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT SEALED Tenders, endorsed
TENDERS FOR LIGHTING THE CITY
Will be received at the City Clerk's office
Until July 30th, 1881,
AT 4 O'CLOCK, P. M.,
For the Exclusive Privilege of Lighting the City of Victoria with the
Electric Light.

The number of years for which the Exclusive Privilege will be required must be stated in the Tender.

The area required to be lighted is about 1 7-10 miles from North to South and 1 1-10 miles from East to West.

SATISFACTORY BONDS will be required for the faithful performance of the Contract.

The Lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. LEIGH,
C. M. C.
CITY HALL, VICTORIA,
May 13th, 1881. my13dwtd

NOTICES.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE CHINESE RESIDENTS OF VICTORIA ASK a suspension of public opinion respecting the occurrence of yesterday until the case has been heard in the courts. Our people landing from the Quinta were met with a demand for the payment of a school tax. Not being residents they resisted the collector, demanding to be placed on the same footing as white passengers arriving at this port. If violence resulted the officers have themselves to blame. We have engaged the services of legal gentlemen and intend to fight the case. All we ask of the Government here is just and fair treatment, which we intend to have, if we have to carry the case to Ottawa or London. Two years ago we suffered great injustice and have never been compensated for our losses. If the Government have any just tax to collect of Chinese residents they never have to call twice; but we shall not submit to tyranny. It is the shame of all good British men that the laws are so unequally administered and our only hope is in the courts.
CHINESE RESIDENTS.
Victoria, July 23d. jy25 1m

CARD OF THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED IN RETIRING FROM business in Victoria takes occasion to return thanks to his friends and customers for their past liberal support, and has pleasure in bespeaking for his successor (Mr. Henry Jewell) a continuance of that generous patronage so freely bestowed upon him. GEORGE MANSELL.
N. B—Outstanding debts, due the late firm of G. Mansell & Co. will be paid to Henry Jewell, who is authorized to receive the same and grant receipts therefor. Prompt payments will be required.
jy6 1m G. MANSELL.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of GEORGE JANES, deceased.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED TO THE above estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the said estate are requested to forward them on or before the 1st day of July next to
ANNA MARIA JANES,
Executrix, Victoria.
Dated Victoria, May 26th, 1881. my27

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE INtend to make application to purchase twenty-three thousand and forty (23,040) Acres of Crown Land situate at False Head, Broughton Strait and Rupert Arm, Quatsino Sound, Vancouver Island, British Columbia, commencing at the Southeast corner post of Section No. 1, Quatsino District, situate on Rupert Arm, Quatsimo Sound; thence true North following the East Boundary of said Section No. 1, 80 chains, more or less, to the Northeast corner of said section No. 1; thence true North two miles; thence true East nine miles; thence true North two miles, more or less, to False Head on Broughton Strait; thence in an Easterly direction to a point on the shore of Broughton Strait, four miles, more or less; thence true South two miles, more or less, to a point true East from the head of Rupert Arm; thence true West nine miles, more or less, to the head of Rupert Arm; thence in a Westerly direction, following the sinuosities of the shore to the initial point.
No mining claims or mineral lands are known to exist in the neighborhood.
J. ROLAND HETT,
M. W. WAITT,
DONALD McLEAN,
H. S. HAMMOND,
ARTHUR STANHOPE FARWELL.
Victoria, B.C., May 30th, 1881. je21

Royal Cariboo Hospital.

BARKERVILLE, 25th June, 1881.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE RESIGNATION and proposed departure from Cariboo of Dr. Grange, resident physician and surgeon to the Royal Cariboo Hospital, the Hospital Board, in accordance with the expressed wishes of the people of the District, offer a Bonus of NINE HUNDRED DOLLARS PER ANNUM to a duly qualified practitioner, who will take charge of the Hospital in conjunction with the present resident physician, Dr. Chipp, to whom it is proposed to pay a similar allowance.
Applications will be received at Barkerville up to the 6th of August.
For further particulars apply to Messrs. Langley & Co., Victoria.
By order of the Board.
jy3dw WM. RENNIE, Secretary.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned was this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. John McDowell retiring from the firm.
EDW'D MALLANDAINE,
JOHN McDOWELL, Architects
Victoria, July 5th, 1881. jy8

COALS, FRESH BEEF AND MUTTON, VEGETABLES, BISCUIT AND SOFT BREAD, FIREWOOD, LIME AND LUMBER.

ROYAL NAVAL YARD, ESQUIMALT, 1st July, 1881.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEHALF of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, until Noon of MONDAY, the 1st AUGUST next, for supplying such quantities of Coals, Fresh Beef and Mutton, Vegetables, Biscuit and Soft Bread, Firewood, Lime and Lumber, as may be required for Navy purposes, between the 1st October, 1881, and the 30th September, 1882.
Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a tender.
Forms of Tender containing all particulars may be obtained at this office on written or personal application.
JAMES H. INNES,
jy1 Naval and Victualling Storekeeper.

HIDES AND CALFSKINS.
Highest Market Rates Paid for the above.
CONSIGNMENTS SOLICITED.
PROMPT RETURNS RENDERED
W. HEATHORN,
VICTORIA BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY AND ROCK BA TANNERY. je24

LD. LOWENBERG
REAL ESTATE AGENT
GOVERNMENT ST. NEAR CORNER OF BROUGHTON
WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing and leasing property; negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.
Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at this office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on the Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street. Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some which affords rare chance for investment.
Money on bond and mortgage and in sums to the demands.
Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

WAX MATCHES
IN LOTS TO SUIT.
KURTZ & CO.
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SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Dominion Government Agent, at Victoria, until
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H. S. ROEBUCK,
Secretary.
Office of Dominion Government Agent, Victoria, B. C.
30th June, 1881. jy1

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Daily Colonist.

SATURDAY MORNING, JULY 30TH, 1881.

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THE FISHERIES.

During the past few days considerable space has been devoted to a description of the Fraser river canneries. The information has been very carefully collated, and is the result of personal observation, all the canneries having been visited by the editor. That some inaccuracies may have crept in we are prepared to believe, but on all essential points we have reason to think that they will successfully withstand criticism. The information is of importance as marking the long strides this important and comparatively new industry has taken within the past few years. With to-day's article the description of the canneries closes. To-morrow we shall show that the fisheries are large customers of Victoria merchants and manufacturers and of mainland producers, and shall point out the way in which we think the industry should be fostered and encouraged.

The Fire in North Victoria.

VICTORIA-ESQT. Telephone Co.
July 28th, 1881.

TO THE EDITOR:—Adverting to the paragraph which appeared in *The Colonist* of to-day concerning the fire at the residence of a Mr. Jones last evening and the statement to the effect that Mr. Heisterman "tried to communicate with the central telephone office but failed to get a response," we beg to inform you that such an assertion could hardly be substantiated by fact, and is calculated to create a wrong impression in the minds of the public. We would therefore ask you to give this brief epitome of facts a place in your valuable columns. The first intimation came from Mr. Goodhue, closely followed by a similar notification from Mr. Heisterman's residence. Both were, as usual, promptly replied to, and without waiting for any further communication the office assistant immediately closed the office and proceeded to give the alarm to the nearest engine house. On reaching Government street he accidentally met the other assistant (who was off duty at the time) and whom he dispatched with the intelligence alluded to, so that any signals given in the interval could not obtain responses from the fact that after 6 p.m. there is only one assistant on duty. We would further state that whilst endeavoring at all times to facilitate to the utmost the pressing requirements of the public weal we cannot be expected *as a matter of right* to perform these services and be considered in any way responsible for the absence of *a more perfect system* of "fire alarm" which might be easily effected if the fire department and insurance companys would give us some tangible assistance.

R. B. MCMICKING, Mgr.
EDGAR CROW BAKER, Secy.

A Magistrate Insulted.

TO THE EDITOR:—May I respectfully ask you whether the statement in the papers of the 28th is correct or not respecting the case of the superintendent Todd *versus* Mr. Jones which occurred at Esquimalt wherein it is reported that the superintendent stated that he objected to Mr. Weir occupying a seat on the bench on the ground that he (Mr. Todd) had seen him in close consultation with the defendant during the forenoon. Mr. Todd also submitted that Mr. Weir should appear as counsel for defendant instead of occupying the position of judge. Such language on the part of Mr. Todd, if true should at once disqualify him for the office. What could be more derogatory than the above statement to the character of Mr. Weir, than whom, I venture to assert, there is not on Vancouver Island a more honest or upright justice of the peace and who has been a resident of this country upwards of 30 years and against whose character there never has been the slightest imputation.

It is, therefore, the imperative duty of the magistrates either for or against Mr. Jones to protest against the insufferable conduct of Mr. Todd and have the matter brought before the lieutenant governor for investigation. If such conduct is allowed repetition, then good bye to the respectability and honor of the magistrates of this province.

A LOVER OF JUSTICE.

Horrible Death.

A man named Waldrop having ravished and murdered the beautiful young wife of a physician in North Carolina, was tracked into Georgia where he was caught. He was taken back to the scene of his crime by 50 armed men. Nothing was done rashly; preparations for the execution were made with ghastly coolness. Waldrop was firmly tied and bound by wires to a stake driven on the spot where his victim was found, when for the first time his dogged courage failed. He pleaded piteously, not for his life, but only to be allowed to die by the gallows or bullet; but he cried to men of stone, and at midnight one of the relatives of the unfortunate woman applied the torch to the pine which, saturated with oil, had been piled around him. His screams rang out on the quiet country air, and the flames lit up the scene with lurid glare. The death struggles were horrid, but not a man stirred. Standing in a circle round the human sacrifice, they looked with stolid indifference at the horrid expiation of his crime. From first to last the officers made no effort to save the prisoner for a legal doom. If they had it would have been futile, for popular passion was frenzied. Waldrop was 23 years old, and a man of good address.

CUSTOMS BLANKS.—Duty blanks with with the new form of oath attached are now on sale at *The Colonist* stationery store. *

PRESIDENT GARFIELD.

His Recovery Believed to be Certain, but Doctors Disagree.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Ex-Surgeon General Hammond told a *Herald* reporter last night that it certainly is a great pity that the president has not had the best talent and treatment available in the country. Bliss is probably a very fair surgeon, but as to Barnes, I don't think he has seen a gun-shot wound since the Mexican war, and as to Woodward, he has probably never seen one in his life. Wales was the best man they had, and he was dismissed by Bliss. The surgeons have never made a search for the bullet, which was the very first thing they ought to have done, and they have never made the slightest endeavor to extract the bullet. They have evidently been afraid to treat the president as they would have treated an ordinary man, and that is all wrong. The presumption seems to be from certain indications that the ball lies in the right iliac fossa or cavity between the front of the hip bone and ribs, which contains small intestines. I don't think it entered the peritonium or liver, although at first it seemed certain that it had. Every expedient will be used to disinfect pus in the wound and render it innocuous. I still think the chances for recovery are more than equal, more especially since I have had the opportunity of seeing him. These are Dr. Hammond's exact words. He has not so much changed as many patients would under the same circumstances. Stories of his weakness are groundless. He could bear half a dozen or more operations like the last, which was like removing a boil. There is no evidence whatever of pyarmia.

WASHINGTON, July 27—2 p.m.—Doctors say that the president is much relieved by the extraction of several slivers from the fractured rib. They still express confidence, but say they will be more reticent hereafter on account of alleged misrepresentations in the press. Dr. Agnew says the president is better than when he saw him Sunday. There appears to be no real foundation for the sudden alarm all over the country to-day.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—All reports from the sick room agree that the president is much improved. Yesterday's operation was entirely successful.

NEW YORK, July 27.—Arthur has been home all day. He believes in the president's recovery, having reassuring dispatches from Blaine and Secretary Brown.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—Another operation was performed on the President by Dr. Agnew this morning and a piece of the fractured eleventh rib and one or two small pieces of splintered bone cut away, the operation being made through the incision cut on Saturday.

Royal Review in Windsor Park.

LONDON, July 10.—The volunteer review in Windsor Park yesterday was a great success. Over 53,000 men appeared under arms with little preparation and under comparatively unfavorable conditions. The experiment of suddenly concentrating this considerable force of volunteers from all parts of England has thus been tried, and the result proves that in times of danger England could, at 24 hours' notice, enormously strengthen her regular army by bringing up an imposing volunteer force to cover London should the capital be threatened with attack. The curiosity excited by the event brought 40,000 spectators to Windsor. As the sun began to decline behind the magnificent elms of the Long Walk, the only battery of artillery thundered forth a royal salute, and a few minutes later the gates of Windsor Castle were flung open, and the royal party, escorted by a detachment of Life Guards, emerged into the Long Walk, which was lined by regiments of the Second Army Corps, amid the hearty cheers of the assembled people. The Queen looked her best, and seems to have grown younger during her voluntary retirement from public life. She was accompanied by the Crown Princess of Prussia, and also by the Princess of Wales, looking almost as youthful and beautiful as on the day when she entered London as the destined bride of the Prince of Wales. Among the distinguished visitors were King Kalakaua, who attracted considerable attention; the Crown Prince of Prussia, Sir Frederick Roberts, who received marked proofs of popular favor, and Sir Garnet Wolseley. The Prince of Wales marched at the head of the Honorable Artillery Company, but was not recognized by the mass of people, and passed almost unnoticed. The Duke of Cannaught, looking the beau ideal of a soldier, rode at the head of the First Brigade of the Second Division, and was the lion of the day. The whole force was under the command of the Duke of Cambridge. No manœuvers were attempted, the troops merely taking up position and marching past. The general result of the review is regarded with intense satisfaction.

The Russian General Skobeloff was invited to attend the review. He returned his thanks for the invitation, but said he must leave Paris on Saturday for Russia, to visit, on the 18th inst., the grave of his mother, the countess Skobeloff, who was murdered in Roumelia a year ago.—*N. Y. Herald.*

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REVISED EDITION OF THE NEW TESTAMENT.—A full supply just received by M. W. WAITT & Co. dw *

CANADA.

Ladies Admitted to Dalhousie College.

HALIFAX, July 20th.—Application was recently made on behalf of two young ladies attending the Normal School at Truro, for admission as under graduates to Dalhousie College. The question was considered at a meeting of the Governors, and it was unanimously decided that all privileges of the college, including the rights of matriculation, graduation and competition for scholarships be extented to female as well as male students.

Made Insane by the News.

NORWICH, N. Y., July 3.—James Legrand, 79 years old, a staunch Republican, was removed from the train at Great Bend on Saturday so much affected by the news of President Garfield's misfortune that his physicians predicted that he would be totally insane.

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MUNICIPAL BYLAW.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

A BYLAW to Authorize the Sale of Lands within the City of Victoria, upon which Taxes have been due and in Arrear for Three Years.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT that all lands or parcel of lands within the City of Victoria upon which taxes have been due and in arrear for three years shall be sold and the proceeds applied in the reduction of such taxes;

BE IT ENACTED therefore by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria:

1. The Assessor and Collector of the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria is hereby authorized and directed, whensoever taxes on any land have been due for three years preceding the Fifteenth day of July, 1881, to submit to the Mayor of the City of Victoria a list, in duplicate, of all the lands liable under the provisions of this Bylaw to be sold for taxes, with the amount of arrears against each lot set opposite to the same; and the Mayor shall authenticate such lists by affixing the Seal of the Corporation and his signature, and one of such lists shall be deposited with the Clerk of the Corporation and the other shall be returned to the Assessor and Collector with a warrant thereto annexed under the hand of the Mayor and the Seal of the Corporation, commanding him to levy upon the land for the arrears due thereon, with his costs.

2. It shall not be the duty of the Assessor and Collector to make enquiry before effecting a sale of lands for taxes to ascertain whether or not there is any distress upon the land, nor shall he be bound to enquire into or form any opinion of the value of the land.

3. The Assessor and Collector shall prepare a copy of the list of lands to be sold, and shall include therein, in a separate column, a statement of the proportion of costs chargeable on each lot for advertising and for the commissions authorized by this Bylaw to be paid to him, and shall cause such list to be published in some daily paper in the City of Victoria for a period of three months preceding such intended sale.

4. The advertisement shall contain a notification that unless the arrears and costs are sooner paid, he will proceed to sell the lands for the taxes on a day, a time and at a place named in the advertisement.

5. The Assessor and Collector shall, at least three months before the time of sale, also deliver to or deposit in the Postoffice to the address of the owner of such property which is to be sold for taxes aforesaid, or to the agent of such owner, a notice in writing of the amount of taxes due, and that the property is to be sold for arrears so due and in case the address of the owner or agent is unknown a notice to the same effect shall be posted up on the land intended to be sold; and shall also, at least three months before the time of sale, post a notice similar to the above advertisement in some convenient and public places, that is to say: at the Council Chambers, Victoria, and in the Postoffice Building, Victoria.

6. The day of sale shall be the Ninetieth day after the publication of such list, exclusive of the day of such publication, except in case the said Ninetieth day shall fall on a Sunday or holiday, in which case such sale shall take place on the following day at the Council Chambers in the City of Victoria, and shall begin at Twelve o'clock, Noon.

7. If at the time appointed for the sale of the lands no bidders appear, the Assessor and Collector may adjourn the sale from time to time.

8. If the taxes have not been previously collected, or if no one appears to pay the same at the time and place appointed for the sale, the Assessor and Collector shall sell at Public Auction so much of the land as may be sufficient to discharge the taxes and all lawful charges incurred in and about the sale and the collection of the taxes, selling in preference such part as he may consider best for the owner to sell first; and in offering such lands for sale it shall not be necessary to describe particularly the portion of the lot or section which shall be sold, but it will be sufficient to say that he will sell so much of the lot or section as shall be necessary to secure the payment of the taxes due, and the amount of taxes stated in the advertisement shall in all cases be *prima facie* evidence of the correct amount due.

9. If the Assessor and Collector fails at such sale to sell such land for the full amount of arrears of the taxes due, he shall at such sale adjourn the same until a day to be publicly named by him, not earlier than one week nor later than three months thereafter, of such adjourned sale; he shall give notice by advertisement in one of the local papers in which the original notice was advertised and on such day he shall sell such lands for any sum he can realize and shall accept such sum as full payment of such arrears of taxes.

10. If the purchaser of any property or parcel of land fails immediately to pay to the Assessor and Collector the amount of the purchase money, the Assessor and Collector shall forthwith again put up the property for sale.

11. Immediately after every sale the Assessor and Collector shall return a list of the arrears satisfied by such sale to the Treasurer of the Corporation and shall at the same time pay in the proceeds of such sale to the said Treasurer.

12. The Assessor and Collector, after selling any land for taxes, shall give a Certificate under his hand to the purchaser stating distinctly what part of proportion, as the case may be, of the land and what interest therein have been sold; or stating that the whole lot, section or estate has been so sold and describing the same, and also stating the quantity of land, the sum for which it has been sold and the expenses of sale; and further stating that a deed conveying the same to the purchaser or his assigns according to the nature of the estate or interest sold will be executed by him and the Mayor, on his or their demand, at any time after the expiration of one year from the date of the Certificate if the land be not previously redeemed.

13. The Assessor and Collector shall be entitled to five per centime commission upon the sums collected by him as aforesaid.

14. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "The Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale Bylaw, 1881."

A. McLEAN,
Chairman.

Reconsidered and finally passed this 27th day of July, 1881.

NOAH SHAKESPEARE,
C.S. Chairman.

WILLIAM LEIGH,
jy30 C. M. C.

MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS, UNDER COVER, WILL BE RECEIVED at the City Clerk's office until Wednesday, August 3rd proximo, for Grading Pandora street, between Vancouver and Cook streets.

Plans and Specifications can be seen daily at the Council Chambers from 10 to 4 o'clock.

Satisfactory Bonds will be required for the faithful performance of the work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, July 28, 1881. jy29

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A BYLAW

Authorizing the Mayor for the time being of the City of Victoria to confirm a certain agreement dated the 19th day of July, 1881, and made between the Mayor of the City of Victoria and James Yates, for the exchange by the said City of that portion of land lying between Lots 201 and 203 in the said City.

1. Whereas by an Act passed by the Legislature of British Columbia intituled "The Yates Street Public Landing Act, 1880," power was given to the Corporation of the said City by a Bylaw duly passed to authorize the Mayor for the time being of the said City to confirm any agreement which the Mayor of the said City for the time being might make for an exchange of that portion of land lying between Lots 201 and 203 and owned by the said Corporation for such a portion of said Lot 201, as might be agreed on;

2. And whereas by an agreement bearing date the 19th day of July, A.D. 1881, and made between John Herbert Turner, the Mayor of the said City of Victoria for the time being, therein referred to as the said Mayor, of the one part, and the said James Yates of the other part, it was therein agreed by the said Mayor and the said James Yates in the words and figures following, that is to say:

MEMORANDUM of Agreement entered into the 19th day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, between John Herbert Turner, Mayor of the City of Victoria, B. C., of the one part; and James Yates, of Edinburg, Scotland, of the other part.

1. The said James Yates agrees to convey to the said Corporation the fee simple of that piece of land situated on the Westerly side of Wharf street and extending from Wharf street to the sea, with the part of the wharf in the rear thereof, such piece of land abutting on Lot 202 and having a frontage of thirty-five feet on Wharf street by an equal width of thirty-five feet and forming the Northerly portion of Lot 201, free from all incumbrances.

2. The said Mayor agrees that the said Corporation shall convey to the said James Yates, free from all incumbrances, the land lying between Lot 201 and Lot 203 and known af the Public Landing.

3. A Public Landing to Harbor and Wharves shall be constructed at the joint expense of both parties conformable to plan herewith attached and signed by both parties.

4. The said Public Landing to be constructed after the conveyances have been exchanged on either party giving one month's notice requesting said construction.

5. If the title in fee simple of the present Public Landing does not rest with the Corporation then the Corporation shall use their utmost endeavors to secure to Mr. Yates a conveyance, the two conveyances to be exchanged at the same time. As witness the hands of the parties the day and year aforesaid.

J. H. TURNER, Mayor.
JAMES YATES,
By his attorney Alex. B. Gray.

Witness to signatures of John Herbert Turner and James Yates, by his attorney Alexander Blair Gray,
S. PERRY MILLS, Victoria.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria that the Mayor for the time being of the said City of Victoria is hereby authorized to confirm the said agreement so made and entered into on the 19th day of July, A. D. 1881, and hereinbefore recited.

This Bylaw may be cited as the "Yates Street Confirmatory Bylaw, 1881."

Passed the Municipal Council this day of , A. D. 1881.

TAKE NOTICE

THAT THE ABOVE IS A TRUE copy of the proposed Bylaw upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at the

Police Barracks for YATES STREET WARD;
The Council Chambers for JOHNSON STREET WARD;
And at the Old Council Chambers, at corner of Government and Broughton streets, for JAMES BAY WARD;

On WEDNESDAY, AUGUST the 3rd, A. D. 1881, and the polls will be kept open between the hours of Ten o'clock a. m. and Four o'clock p. m.

WILLIAM LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office,
July 21st, A. D. 1881. jy22

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All small parcels must be left in charge of the Purser or Freight Clerk.
For Freight and Passage apply to W. McNish, on the wharf. jy28

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

AFTER THE CLOSE OF THE CASE AT ESquimalt on Wednesday, Superintendent of Police Todd accosted me on Government street, with the irritating question, "How are you now, Mr. Jones? How do you feel now?" He also laughed at me. Is is proper for a Superintendent of Police to act in a manner calculated to provoke a breach of the peace.
jy25 1w STEPHEN JONES.

NOTICE.

DURING THE TEMPORARY ABSENCE OF THE undersigned Mr. J. C. BALES will transact the business of the Lancashire Insurance Company.
A. R. GREEN.
Victoria, V. I., 20th July, 1881. jy21

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

WALTHAM WATCHES,

AT

C. REDFERN'S, GOVERNMENT STREET,

WHO HAS BEEN APPOINTED BY THE COMPANY

SOLE AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.

KEY WINDERS
—IN—
SOLID
STERLING SILVER
CASES,
$15
AND UPWARDS.



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These Watches are all GUARANTEED GENUINE WALTHAM MANUFACTURE and the Cases Solid Sterling Silver 925-1000ths fine.

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FROM PORTLAND.

THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP Company's Steamer
"LOS ANGELES"
Will sail from Astoria on 4th August, carrying Freight from Portland at same rate as steamer CALIFORNIA.
Apply to
WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
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IN RE ESTATE OF EDWARD WILBY, DECEASED.

BY VIRTUE OF AUTHORITY GIVEN ME BY the Supreme Court of British Columbia to administer said estate, I hereby request all persons having claims thereon to send in the same within 30 days from date hereof, and all who are indebted to the same are requested to make prompt payment thereof to me. ESTHER WILBY,
Victoria, 25th July, 1881. Administratrix. jy28 1m

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned as STONE CUTTERS, doing business in this city, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the late firm and all accounts against it will be received or paid by John Mortimer. JOHN MORTIMER,
Witness— W. G. REID.
W. BOBBY.
Victoria, 27th July, 1881. jy28 1w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT ISSUED OUT OF THE Supreme Court of Victoria, B. C., and to me directed on the 13th day of July, 1881, I have seized and distrained upon the Furniture, Goods, Chattels, Bar and all its splendid fixings, Oil Lamps, Chandeliers, Chairs, Tables, large Mirror, large Water Fountain, Cooking Range and all other goods and chattels on the premises known as the St. Charles Music Hall, including one Theatrical Stage and Scenery complete, and have removed the same for convenience of sale to Mr. Moody's brick building on Yates street, and will sell the same on THURSDAY, 4th day of August next, by Auction, at 11 o'clock, a. m., in lots to suit, for CASH. The goods may be seen on the day previous to sale from 10 to 4 o'clock.
THOS. HARRIS, Sheriff.
Victoria, B. C., July 27th, 1881. v28

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GRAND
MOONLIGHT AND TERPISCHOREAN
EXCURSION!
FROM VICTORIA AROUND RACE ROCKS TO ESQUIMALT AND RETURN.

THE SWIFT AND COMMODIOUS STEAMER
WESTERN SLOPE,
CAPT. WILLIAM MOORE,
Will sail from Welch, Rithet & Co.'s wharf on
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FARE HALF-A-DOLLAR.

The Spacious Decks of this Steamboat will be devoted to Dancing. A Cotillion Band will accompany the Excursion and there will be a
GRAND DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS.
Participators in this affair will be assured a pleasant and agreeable evening.
TICKETS will be on sale at Kurtz's Cigar Store, Campbell's Cigar Store and at the Oriental Hotel.
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ONE OF THE
FINEST MANSIONS
IN THE CITY,
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THERE IS A
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H. F. HEISTERMAN & CO.,
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A. VIPOND,
YATES STREET, opposite Alhambra Hall, is prepared to
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Expeditiously and at Reasonable Rates. VERIFICATION GUARANTEED. je21

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CHEAP!
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THE WHITE HOUSE

RECEIVED EX DAKOTA,
75 75
LIGHT WEIGHT,
BASKET CLOTH & DIAGONAL
JACKETS.

25 WILL BE SOLD FOR $2 50
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Had the above arrived earlier in the Season the Prices would have been $5, $6 & $7 respectively.

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LIGHT JACKETS FROM $3 25
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CALL EARLY IN THE WEEK AND SECURE AN UNDOUBTED BARGAIN AT
—THE—
WHITE HOUSE
J. HUTCHESON,
Manager.
July 10th, 1881. jy10

WOOD AND IRON BOUND
SALMON BARRELS.
650 OF THE ABOVE FOR SALE, LOW, in lots to suit by
JAMES BRYAN,
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VANCOUVER BAKERY,

FORT STREET.
FRESH BREAD EVERY MORNING.
20 LOAVES FOR ONE DOLLAR.
jy20 1m S. LARSEN.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other payments to be made to me.
'30 LD. LOWENBERG.

Daily Colonist.

SATURDAY MORNING, JULY 30TH, 1881.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

July 29 Sch Discovery, Saanich
Slp Seabird, San Juan
Sch Isabella, Nanaimo

CLEARED.

July 29--Sch Mary Ellen, West Coast
Sch Discovery, Saanich
Slp Seabird, San Juan

PASSENGERS.

Per str DAKOTA, for San Francisco—Victoria—Madam Blum, Mrs J C Hunter, H Munroe, J E McNiel, A N Richards and son, R B Farquhar, Hong Lup, A N Gee, Sam Kong, J Cran and wife, J H Doane, C Vienesseun, T Dawdell, Wm Wilson, A Bunster and 3 in steerage. Puget Sound—Mrs Mattelath, servant and 3 chdn, H Dalton, Capt R Pollock, H C Skinner, H C Allen, Eddie Harmon, H W Miller, Mr Lange and wife, Miss Henry, Miss L Harmon, J Dougan, J F McNaught, Miss Bell Nicholls, Miss Hollenbach, Mrs H M Leonard, Miss Jackson, A L Morrison, A Plate, Mrs Geo Steltz, Miss L Cramer, Mrs Allison, A P Stewart, Jas Scanlan, Ellen Levalistor, C H Meade, wife and 3 chdn, H Shaw and wife, J W Hall, W F Crosby and 35 in steerage.

Per str WESTERN SLOPE, fm Yale—Mrs Moore, Mrs Meyer, Mrs Hanington, Mrs Sillitoe, Mrs Moffard, Mrs Thompson, Mrs Semple, Miss Moore, Miss Williams, Miss Sluggett, Miss Blenkinsop, Miss Jesse, Miss Thompson, Miss Semple, Bishop Sillitoe, Dr Hanington, R Ward, McKay, Mr Harris, MPP, JH Reilly, J Smith, Henderson, S Onderdonk, Howison, Bullen, Brady, Woolrich, Clumery, Fisher, Moulton, Dr McLean, Carlow, Ellis, Mitchell, Phinney, Atkinson, Seeley, Monroe.

Per str WILSON G. HUNT, for Nanaimo—Mrs Meakin, Mrs Berkely, Mrs Sabiston, Mrs T H Tye, Sister of St. Ann, J Crawford, W Chisholm, J Charley, T H Tye.

DEATHS.

At San Juan Island, on the 29th instant, Robert Douglas, a native of Yorkshire, England, aged 65 years. [Port Townsend, Seattle and Ottawa papers please copy.]

FAMILY MARKET REPORT.

SATURDAY MORNING, July 30.

BUTTER—Island, 30@37½c ₩lb; New Grass Cal., 75c ₩ roll.

CHEESE—Canadian, 30c. ₩lb.; Cala., 25c.; Eastern Cream, 30c; B.C., 25c.; Stilton, 37½c.

EGGS—Island, 37½c.₩doz.

CORNMEAL—50c.₩sack of 10lb.

FLOUR—Extra, $6 ₩ brl.; Super, $5 ₩ brl.

WHEAT—1½c.₩lb.

BEANS—Lima, 8c.₩lb; Small White and Bayou, 3c.

SPLIT PEAS—10c.₩lb.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, old,—c.₩lb; new,1½c ₩lb; Sweet, —c; Onions, 3c₩lb; Celery, 37½c₩dz; Carrots, ½c₩lb; Rhubarb, 4c.₩lb; Lettuce, 10c.₩doz; Cauliflower, 50 ₩ doz; Asparagus, —c. ₩lb; Radishes, 25c.₩ doz bunchs; Turnips, 25c₩doz.bun; Green Peas, 2½c₩lb; String Beans, 7c₩lb; Cucumbers, 37½c₩dz; Cabbage, 6c₩lb; Tomatoes, 6c₩lb; Green Ochra, 25c₩lb; Chili Pepper, 25c₩lb.

BACON—Breakfast, Heywood's Gilt Edge, 18c ₩lb; Gosnell's, 20c; Oregon, ——c.

HAMS—Home Cured, Heywood's,(new)20c.₩lb; Chicago, 20c.; Oregon, 20c.; Shoulders, —c.

LARD—20c.₩lb.

FISH—Cod, 5c. ₩ lb; Salmon, 6c. ₩ lb; Boneless Cod,10c; Soles, 6c; Halibut, 6c Yarmouth Bloaters, 25c. ₩ doz.; Sal. Bellies, 3 for 50c; Herring, 3c.; Flounder, 6c; Smoked Oolachans and Salmon, 12½c.; Smelt, 6c.; Sturgeon, 6c; Whiting, 6c.; Shrimp, 25c; Salt Oolachans, 6c.; Crabs, 50c. ₩ doz; Smoked Herring, 12½c.₩lb.

CANNED SALMON—1lb tins, per doz., $2.

FRUIT—Lemons, 75c.₩dz; Oranges, 50@62½c ₩doz; Limes, 25c ₩doz.; Apples, 8c. ₩lb; Cranberries, —c. ₩ gal.; Quinces, — ₩ lb; Pears,10c; Grapes,20c.; Bananas, 75c₩doz; Cocoanuts, 12c½.ea; Cherries, 15c₩lb; Apricots, 15c₩lb; Strawberries, 15c₩lb; Gooseberries, 6c₩lb; Raspberries, —c.₩lb; Apricots, 15c₩lb; Plums, 12½c₩lb; Peaches, 15c. Muskmelons, 37½@50c; Watermelons, 50@75c.

CANDIED FRUITS Lemon Citron and Orange, 50c.₩lb.

CURRANTS—Zante 15@16c₩lb.

RAISINS—English Layers, 33½c ₩ lb.; Cala —c; Sultana, Valencia and Eleme, 25c.

FIGS—New, 50c.₩lb.

MIXED SPICES—25c.₩ tin

TEA & COFFEE—Coffee, ground, 50c. ₩ lb; green, 28c.₩lb; Tea, from 37½c. to $1 25 ₩ lb.

SUGARS—Crushed or Cube, 6lbs. for $1; Granulated or No. 1, 7lbs for $1; D or No. 2, 8lbs. for $1.

NUTS—Eng.Walnuts, 20c.₩lb; Cocoanuts, 12½.ea; Almonds—Paper Shell, 37½c.; Jordan, 75c.; Brazil, 37½c. Chestnuts, 37½c.

ROLLED SPICED BEEF—12½c.₩lb.; Ox Tongues 62½@75c. ea.; Smoked Tongues, $1 ea.

BEEF—Choice Cuts, 10c. ₩ lb; other cuts, 7@10c. Soup meat, 5@7c.

MUTTON—Choice Joints, 10@12½c; Stewing meat, 6c.

PORK—10@12½c.₩lb.

VEAL—10@12½c.₩lb.

LAMB—Fore quarters, $1 25; hind quarters, $1 75

SAUSAGES—12½@25c. ₩lb.

SUET—12½c.₩lb.

SUCKING PIGS—$2.50@3.50 ea.

CHICKENS—62½@75c ea.; Spring Chickens, $5₩dz.

TURKEYS—25c. ₩lb.

GEESE—Tame, 25c. ₩lb.; Wild, 50c @75c ea.

COAL OIL—$2 50 ₩ tin; ₩ case, $4 50

OYSTERS—75c. ₩ quart.

HAY—$20@$22 per ton.

OATS—1½c.₩lb.

MIDDLINGS—1½c.₩lb.

BRAN—1½c.₩lb.

TO ADVERTISERS.

The Guaranteed Circulation of "The Colonist" is more than double that of any other Newspaper Published in the Province.

SUICIDE OF A CHINESE CRIMINAL

Fatal Accidents at the Canneries--- Westminster Assizes.

[Special to The Colonist.]

NEW WESTMINSTER, July 29.

A Chinaman named Ah Gee, convicted of rioting, etc., at Yale county court, and sentenced to five years' imprisonment, while being brought down on the steamer Wm. Irving to-day, jumped overboard between Hope and Chilliwhack, and was drowned.

A Chinaman employed in Ewen & Co.'s cannery was yesterday severely, probably fatally, injured by a wheel falling on his head, and another at Haigh & Co.'s establishment is reported to have been killed instantly from a similar cause.

Justice Crease arrived on the Slope this morning, and attorney-general Walkem arrived this p.m.

The Assizes open here on Monday.

The run of salmon still continues very large, but it is thought it will not extend beyond another three weeks. The canneries are now working to their fullest extent, but complain greatly of the lack of labor.

COLUMBIA RIVER.—The salmon fishing season is nearly over and will close by law on the 1st of August. The total pack of the canneries will aggregate much less than last year.

FRASER RIVER. — The great Sockeye run continues unabated, and the canneries have too many fish.

A VISIT TO THE FRASER CANNERIES.

Magnitude and Importance of the Enterprises.

(Continued.)

EWEN AND CO.'S CANNERY.

Here another scene of bustling activity was presented. About 100 men, women and boys were engaged in the various processes necessary to the canning of the salmon which the manager, Mr. Hennessey, assured us had begun to arrive faster than he could dispose of them. On the wharf behind the range of buildings lay about 3,000 sockeyes, fresh from their native element—(dead, of course, because the instant a salmon reaches the hand of a fisherman he is tapped on the nose with a stick, and the fish's career as a freeagent is over). From that moment he is booked to tickle the palate of some English, Canadian, French or American lover of brain-food. Fish, or the evidence of fish abounded everywhere. The wharf was slippery from their contact, and the air was redolent with an "ancient and fish-like smell," which arose from the steaming cannery. From the wharf to the cleaning tables, where Chinese and Indians vie in their efforts to prepare the bodies, thence to the fresh water and brine baths; again to the cutting tables, where muscular Chinese work the arms of machines that cut two salmon at one fell swoop into pieces convenient for tinning, is but a few yards. All is bustle, activity and life. When ready for canning great trays covered with pieces of fish are taken to the fillers whose duty it is to fill the cans; others place the tops on them; still others solder the tops by the Johnson process, which was described at the B. C. Packing Co.'s cannery. Then the cans are placed in large iron trays and drawn by an ingenious arrangement of blocks and pulleys along a large track to the kettles, or pushed on railways to and into the retorts, where the dry steam process is employed. The clatter at the works was deafening. The heat was very great, but the hands worked faithfully and rapidly in spite of this drawback. "It's a race between us and the salmon," said one stalwart worker, "and if we want to win we've got to hump ourselves." There are no drones in the Ewen hive. Industrious hands are ever welcome, but lazy men give the place a wide berth. As we gazed upon the animated scene the distant puffing of a steamboat was heard. "That's our boat, the Reliance," said Mr. Ewen, "coming up with a cargo of fish." A few men were told off to receive the "cargo." There are few who have not listened to the heavy breathing of a high-pressure Fraser river steamboat. It is not unlike the word "*Hoosh! hoosh!*" long drawn out, and as the Reliance advanced up the stream the exhaust steam rushing through her funnel seemed to us to be screaming out "Fish! fish!" as if the steamboat joined in the general jubiliation at the prospect of a large run, and the certainty of a profitable year for the patient cannery proprietors, The Reliance unloaded 5,000 fish at Ewen's and then pushed on up stream to another cannery to land 5,000 more. At this cannery there are preparations for salting salmon. The capacity of Ewen & Co.'s is 20,000 cases. Stahlschmidt & Ward are the Victoria agents. We heard after we left Ewen's that the fish received there that day numbered 10,000. Leaving Ewen's we embarked in a ferry-skiff and were rowed across the river to the cannery of

ENGLISH AND CO.,

Situated opposite New Westminster. The wharves and buildings of this company cover an acre and a half of ground facing upon the river. The famous Brown wharf about which there hangs an unsavory political scandal, adjoins English & Co.'s wharves. It is a substantial affair. Mr. B. F. English, head of the firm and manager of the cannery, extends a cordial greeting, and Mr. James Orr of pleasant Victoria memory, is equally cordial. Our object stated, Mr. English shows us through the establishment. The men have just gone to dinner and the opportunity is afforded of examining the new patent solderers and other machinery connected with the concern. There are two of these solderers. They were made at Spratt's foundry at Victoria. With six men they will solder 25,000 cans a day. Under the old hand process 1000 cans for each man was a good day's work. The cans when filled and topped are fed into a sort of hopper on an incline; a crank is turned and as the cans slip down the tops are pinched against the sides of the can; they then roll over brushes wet with acid, are then caught on an endless chain by which they are drawn through a narrow trough filled with molten solder, turning round and round as they go, the end intended to be closed only being reached by the acid or solder. After passing through the solder they reach a box or trough where they are examined and if the soldering is perfect they are carried off at once. If it is defective the cans are retouched by hand and sent thence to the packing room. We were informed that the defective cans soldered by the machine do not average three per cent. Mr. English claims that the solder, used on the inside of his cans, being all tin, is superior to lead, and he showed us a case made of spruce lumber after a plan of his own which weighs only eight pounds, the weight of a case of the material formerly used being five pounds heavier. The capacity of this cannery is 30,000 cases—that being the number for which Mr. English has made preparations. To receive this large number nearly 1,500,000 tins have been made, and are stacked ready for use. A sockeye salmon is from 16 to 18 inches long and weighs from 8 to 10 pounds. It is the smallest of all the salmon species and, perhaps upon the principle that the finest goods come always in small packages, is the best. Retorts and railway tracks have been introduced here. It is claimed that no other plan for cooking is so expeditious and effective. With fresh water a temperature of 212 degrees is obtained; with salt and water the highest temperature is 230, and the fish must boil for two hours; but if cooked in retorts with dry steam 240 degrees are obtained and only one hour and 25 minutes are required to cook the fish. As at the other canneries the implements and tables are kept scrupulously clean; the fish are washed thoroughly in a running stream of clear water and then bathed in brine before being passed on to the fillers. Mr. English opened a can of this season's catch and it proved a most delicious dish. The steamer Reliance, laden with fish for this cannery, presently arrived, and favorable reports from the mouth of the river put everybody in good humor. One hundred and sixty Chinamen and 40 whites are employed at this cannery, and 30 boats manned by 120 men perform the fishing. After dinner one of the company's boats was kindly placed at our disposal and we sailed across to the cannery of

LAIDLAW AND CO.,

Whose brand is the "Dominion" and whose agents at Victoria are Welch, Rithet & Co. At these works were 115 Chinese and natives and 22 white men employed, while 25 boats with crews that aggregate 100 men were at the camps. One boat had brought in 350 fish as the result of the previous night's operations, and the receipts from all other sources made a total of 7,000 fish. Mr. James Laidlaw, although up to his eyes in business, showed us through his cannery. It was at one of his cutting tables that the Chinaman who can open 2,000 salmon and deprive them of entrails, fins, heads and tails each day, was seen. Every turn of this man's wrist counts for something. Using the tail as a handle he rips a fish open, with the next stroke he takes off his head, then drawing back his knife the fins fly from one side, turning the fish by the handle the fins are gone from the other side; a quick stroke and the tail-handle disappears. While we have been relating his exploits this man has probably disposed of half a dozen salmon. From the opener the fish are passed through hot baths, then cut into required pieces and passed on to the fillers. This firm have introduced retorts made by Shaw & Kuna, very complete affairs and identical with those already described. A number of Indian women are employed at this cannery and have given entire satisfaction. Boys are in great demand at good wages, there being much light work at which they can be profitably placed. Laidlaw & Co. anticipate a pack of 15,400 cases, which will consume about 800,000 cans. A fine stream of water from a living spring back of the penitentiary enables this cannery to observe the law that is said to be next to Godliness. Near the cannery DeBeck & Co. have an extensive saw mill in active operation, with a cutting capacity of 15,000 feet of lumber daily. They have a heavy order for salmon cases, and have introduced a stencil printing press which will print the ends of 1,000 boxes an hour—a great saving of labor over the present system of stencilling. Boxes for Haigh & Sons' cannery were passing through the press while we were there.

HAIGH AND SONS' CANNERY.

This cannery is situated near Coquitlam river, about three miles above Laidlaw & Co.'s. Mr. DeBeck lent us a boat and Mr. Laidlaw sent one of his hands and away we started on a weary pull up-stream against a five-knot current. The scorching rays of the sun beat with pitiless force upon the boat and its occupants, and the muddy river reflected back the rays until the water seemed like a mass of molten silver that had been scorched in the melting. It was a long and weary pull, but muscle and bottom won the victory over the current, and we landed at last on Haigh & Sons' wharf. Mr. S. Haigh is the manager. Under his careful guidance the business has increased from small proportions two or three years ago to its present capacity, which is about 20,000 cases and 400 barrels for the season. This company is afflicted with the common complaint—scarcity of labor. They employ about 70 Chinese, 30 white men and 17 white boys and want more of each class. The boys are regarded with great favor and thus far have worked faithfully. The company are erecting a comfortable house in which the boys will be domiciled so as to separate them from the men and reduce the danger of contamination to the minimum. The firm have introduced all the latest improvements, including an elevated one-track railway which extends from end to end of the building, and by means of which heavy loads are carried to and fro with much ease. They have put in the patent solderer from Spratt's, described in the article on English & Co's works, but in the scarcity of labor John Chinaman feels his importance. He knows he cannot be replaced. Before the run commenced Uriah Heep could not have excelled him in Umbleness; but when the rush came John declared that he would not continue at work if the soldering machine was used, and so it stands, or stood at the time of our visit, idle. On Saturday last 9,500 fish were received at the cannery. They streamed in. Every small boat and the cannery steamer came to the wharf overloaded with salmon, and the consequence was a glut. Had refrigerators and patent fillers been obtainable and the patent solderers at work all the fish that applied for admission might have been received and welcomed with hospitable hands. Haigh & Co. have the patent retorts of Shaw & Kuna in operation and are pleased with them. The scene within and without the establishment bore an appearance of thrift, industry and completeness. One sockeye salmon will fill five cans on the average. The utmost care is taken to insure cleanliness in the preparation and packing of the fish. All the canneries possess this virtue, and we believe British Columbia salmon will stand at the top of the London and Canadian markets. Stahlschmidt & Ward are the Victoria agents for this cannery.

A Cheap Excursion Trip to the Fisheries.

If any of our readers desire to witness a spectacle which they may never have a chance to see again they should take passage by the Western Slope to-day or by the Enterprise on Tuesday next for New Westminster. In passing in and out of the river they will find the fishery boats engaged in hauling on board the sockeyes, they will see steamers loaded to the gunwales with fish, literally staggering up the river, and they will behold at the canneries the *modus operandi* of preparing the salmon for market. There are three excellent hotels at New Westminster—the Colonial, the Occident and the Holbrook—where accommodations are very good and not at all expensive. The scene will not soon be forgotten, and so great a run of fish as the present may not occur again within the lifetime of any of our readers. Parties leaving by the Slope to-day may return on Monday.

PERSONAL.—Bishop and Mrs. Sillitoe arrived by the Western Slope from New Westminster last evening, and will remain over Sunday. Dr. E. C. Hanington, Mrs. Hanington and Master Shirley Onderdonk came down from Yale by the same conveyance. Dr. Hanington seeks relaxation from his arduous duties on the railway line and will proceed to San Francisco by the Dakota. Capt. J. H. Doane, a much-respected fellow-townsman since 1858, sails for Europe to day to join his family there. Hon. A. N. Richards, late lieut.-governor, and son are passengers by the outgoing steamer to-day.

DEATH.—Mr. Robert Douglas, a former resident of Ottawa and this province, and latterly a successful farmer on San Juan Island, died at the residence of Mr. Daly in this city yesterday. Mr. Douglas leaves a large family in good circumstances.

RECOVERING.—Master George Stelly, who was badly injured in the school gymnasium at Morges, Switzerland, has nearly recovered from the effects of the accident.

Municipal Police Court.

[Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.]

FRIDAY, July 29.

A married woman applied for a protection order against her husband.

Mr. Walls appeared for plaintiff; Mr. Mills for defendant.

The plaintiff deposed that her husband deserted her about 10 years ago; had not seen him for some years until last Sunday morning when she saw him hanging about her house on the Burnside road.

Examined by Mr. Mills—I live on the Burnside road; my son lives with me; I refuse to answer how I obtain means for livelihood; saw my husband about five years ago; see him in Court now; he frequently said that if ever he returned to Victoria he would murder me; had him bound over in his own recognizances to keep the peace; did not know myself that he has been hanging around my house, but have been told so: the house in which I reside was bought with our joint money; the lady in Court (Mrs. Barker) persuaded me to come across the Sound with her; she offered me $15 a month to come and live with her.

A witness deposed—I live on the Burnside road not far from complainant's residence; have seen the defendant on the Burnside road; had a conversation with him on Monday last; he said that if he had his wife on the other side he would get rid of her; but on this side the law was too strict.

His Honor said that the evidence was not sufficient to warrant his interference and he must dismiss the case.

During the proceedings a pretty-looking woman with five interesting little children—one a chubby baby with his lips attached to the nipple end of a sucking-bottle—had entered the room and taken a seat near defendant's counsel. She was said to be a married daughter of the plaintiff and defendant, residing at Olympia, and warmly espoused her father's cause. When the judge's decision had been given, and the parties were preparing to leave the room, this young lady sprang to her feet, screamed, and threw herself in a flood of tears upon her father's breast. The defendant endeavored to soothe her; but she only cried the more, and pointing with her hand towards her mother cried out, "Oh! that woman! that woman!" The children screamed in chorus, and the lady was finally induced to take her seat. At this point her little girl, aged about 10 years, ran at her grandfather and seizing him by the arm exclaimed, "Now, you leave my mamma alone!" evidently under the impression that the old gentleman was an enemy of her mother. The other children ran screaming from the Courtroom into the street—all but the baby, whom Mr. Mills, defendant's counsel, blushingly raised in his arms and poking the wrong end of the sucking-bottle in the child's mouth to prevent him from joining in the outcry, endeavored to quiet the troubled scene by appeals to the belligerent little girl and her hysterical mother. In a few moments the learned counsel's efforts were crowned with success. The ladies quieted down, the wrong end of the sucking-bottle was withdrawn from the baby's mouth just in time to save him from an untimely death, the infant was restored to his mother's arms, and the dingy court-room was presently deserted.

Supreme Court--In Chambers.

(Before Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J.)

FRIDAY, July 29.

Reynolds *v.* Batchelor *et al.*—His Lordship ordered certain accounts to be taken before rendering any judgment in the action.

Mr. Holmes, who had been added as a defendant, claimed the repayment of $400 odd by the plaintiff, in respect of disbursements formerly made on his account.

Messrs. Davie & Pooley for plaintiff; Mr. Jackson for the defendants Batchelor and Harrison; the defendant Holmes was represented by Mr. Walls and the defendant McPhaden by Mr. Hett.

THE THRASHER CASE.

Sewell and others *vs.* the B. C. Towing Co.—On application of Mr. Theo. Davie for plaintiffs, the Chief Justice made an order extending the time for appeal to the Provincial Court, and staying execution for costs until four days after the next sitting of the full Court, the order to become void should an appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada be allowed and perfected in the meantime.

Mr. Drake and Mr. Pooley for defendants.

Cariboo Mining Items.

From Mr. Phinney, who arrived last evening, we learn that the Aurora claim on William creek is doing well; the prospects are exceedingly good, the gold showing clearly on the surface. The various mining claims there are turning out well. The surface diggings at Antler, which at first were only twenty feet in width, are now 120 feet, and four men realized $252 last week. Slough creek is turning out well. The Black Jack and Brown claims are not doing so well as last year, owing to the scarcity of water. The claims on the upper William creek are turning out rich. The Sisters and Brothers claims on Jack of Clubs creek are about paying expenses. The Waverly hydraulic company promises to more than meet the expenses for the year.

ALL ABOUT OUR RESOURCES. — The next WEEKLY COLONIST will be issued on Tuesday next. It will contain all the papers now passing through our daily issue upon the lower mainland resources, having particular reference to the development of the fisheries. A very large extra edition will be struck off, but as the demand will certainly be large, we would advise the sending in of orders before the day of publication if possible. *

A MAN named John Weston was arrested at Esquimalt yesterday by Officer Hough on a warrant. He is charged with stealing a pair of opera glasses from the steamer Alexander, property of Captain Urquhart.

FRASER RIVER CHEESE.—Mr. Harris, M. P. P., brought down from his factory at Maple Ridge a quantity of prime cheese which will be opened at Neufelder & Ross' to-day.

U. S. CUSTOMS.—Major J. G. Swan and J. M. Power, customs inspectors in Puget Sound district, have been requested to resign.

RESIGNED.—Capt. Morrison, of the G. E. Starr, has resigned his command, to take effect after Monday next. He is about to embark in some business ashore.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—The Rt. Rev. Dr. Silletoe, Bishop of New Westminster, will preach to-morrow morning and evening at the Cathedral.

THE Lester English opera company number twenty talented performers. They will arrive here about the 18th prox.

THE SUPPOSED POISONING AT YALE.

Death from Scarlet Fever.

[Special to The Colonist.]

YALE, July 29.

In the case of Ki Ku, deceased, whose death was supposed to have been caused by poison, it is said that the post-mortem examination showed no signs of disease sufficient to cause death, and there is a rumor that traces of poison were found in the stomach. The jury have ordered an analysis of the contents of the stomach by an expert. The evidence so far points to Ah Souey as the one who administered the poison. He is now serving a month's sentence in jail at New Westminster for threatening language.

Mr. Teague, late government agent, has lost his eldest child from scarlet fever. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved parents. The cool weather of the past few days has allayed the fear that the disease would assume alarming proportions in this town.

Marine.

Intelligence received at San Francisco gives further particulars of the loss of the Victoria on her way from Amsterdam to San Francisco. Captain Bayley states that he expeirenced very heavy weather in the Atlantic and off Cape Horn, during which he lost two men overboard. The ship sprung a leak, and one watch was kept constantly at the pumps during several days. Notwithstanding their greatest efforts, the water gained upon them until there were seven feet of water in the hold. He then decided, in order to save life, to run the vessel on shore on Duke of York Island, sometimes known as Madre de Dios Island. He finally succeeded in landing the crew safely, where they remained for several days exposed to the inclemency of the weather. The Nimrod transferred them to the German steamer Memphis, who landed them at Montevideo, June 3rd. The Victoria was abandoned on April 17th.

The steamship Victoria, from San Francisco for New Westminster, with railway freight, passed up yesterday afternoon.

Capt. Clements landed from the Wellington coal-laden steamship Barnard Castle at 3 a.m. yesterday. She passed on for San Francisco. Her carog is 2,200 tons.

The steamship Hylton Castle will be due here on Sunday from San Francisco.

The barque Montana, with Wellington coal, has sailed for Honolulu.

The barque Zoe has been chartered to load wheat at Portland for Liverpool, and will sail hence to-night.

The barque Glengarry, Ross & Co., agents, Montreal, is supposed to be the name of the vessel that is on the berth for this port at Montreal.

The steamship Dakota arrived from Puget Sound ports at 3.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and will sail at 3 p.m. this afternoon for San Francisco, carrying a large number of passengers and 662 tons of freight.

THE Western Slope arrived at 7 p.m. yesterday from Yale and New Westminster

DIED. — The young man, E. Davis, who was attacked by small-pox near Seattle on Monday, died on Wednesday.

STEAMER EMMA.—Mr. Bales offers this favorite screw boat at private sale.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EUROPE.

LONDON, July 27.—In the house of Commons, Parnell's amendment to the report on the land bill relative to absentees, was rejected, 115 to 32.

Last night in consideration of the clause of the land bill, empowering the court to fix fair rents, Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice, (liberal) moved an amendment confirming the benefits of the clause to tenants valued under a hundred pounds. In support of this proposal, which he said would only exclude 3000 tenants, he urged the expediency of not making this exceptional legislation broader than necessary, and quoted the authority of Lord Carlingford, chief secretary for Ireland, and Baron Bowers, baron of the court of execution in Ireland. These large tenants are quite able to take care of themselves. Gladstone energetically opposed the amendment, and pointed out that no such recommendation had been made by others of the commission and declared that the government would be no party to drawing a distinction which was directly opposed to lines on which the bill was drawn. The bill was negatived, 241 to 205. The narrowness of the majority was greeted with loud cheers. Several prominent liberals were in the minority.

Owing to the unsettled state of Ireland it has been decided to maintain military establishments at their present strength some time longer.

LONDON, July 27.—In the house of commons this evening on consideration of commons report on the land bill the clause provided by the attorney-general for Ireland, proposing that no land commissioner shall be capable of sitting in the house of commons during his tenure of office, was agreed to.

The British press, irrespective of politics, and individual papers agree in expressing the belief that England can rely on the good faith of America in endeavoring to prevent renewal of overt attempts of conspirators against the British government.

The Bow street police court granted summons against Charles Newdegate, conservative member of parliament, on a charge of maintenance preferred by Bradlaugh.

BERLIN, July 27.—Saxon elections to the parliament show a conservative gain of seven. The Bavarian conservatives were still more successful. The ministerial press is very sanguine of other elections resulting similarly.

Prompted by electioneering necessities the *North German Gazette* is now producing a series of articles intended to persuade constituencies that free trade is a delusion which is rapidly being exploded. The first course of articles on the Cobden club says: "The club is really a colossal machine for provoking political agitation abroad." The *Gazette* concludes: "These principles are called by Cobden, with horrible blasphemy, 'God's international law of peace.' Wherever they have been applied they have ruined agriculturalists, degraded workmen to mere machines and converted countries, who have accepted them, into tributaries of Manchester."

Emigration retuns from Bremen show that 77,303 persons left there for America in the first half of 1881. It would not be astonishing if Germany lost 330,000 subjects during the year.

VIENNA, July 27.—Telegrams report fresh persecutions and pillaging of Jews in the government of Pultova. Seventeen villages have been entirely deserted.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 27.—Arrests still continue. The German government quite recently informed the Russian government that another plot to assassinate the emperor was known to be on foot among the officers of the household, and reminds Russia that Germany had vainly given similar warning just before the explosion in the Winter palace. The emperor will pass the winter at Gatzchina.

BOSTON, July 24.—A Russian letter states that many persons have been arrested and expelled from St. Petersburg on account of the discovery of another plot against the czar's life. The nihilist who betrayed has been assassinated in the suburbs, and there have been six arrests in consequence.

PARIS, July 17.—In reply to a Spanish note the French government declines to admit claims for indemnity made for the Madrid government on behalf of Spanish residents, and 8,000 fugitives who returned to their native country after the Arab raids in June. It declares itself, however, ready to pay blood money or compensation to relatives of the victims. As in the previous Arab rebellion the sum would be paid to French and Spanish colonists alike, and recovered later from Arab tribes.

MADRID, July 27.—Cardinal Archbishop of Toledo, primate of Spain, in a letter read in every church of this diocese, has most violently attacked the Italian people and government, including all Catholics even. Princes, statesmen, politicians and journalists should combine, and if necessary, use force and arms to restore the independence and temporal power of the pope in Rome. The Italian minister at Madrid immediately protested, and the Spanish cabinet declared that it severely blamed the primate's language, and would cause strong remonstrances to be made to him. The government has not submitted the pastoral to the council of state, but will verbally express to the primate their disapproval.

PARIS, July 27.—The vote yesterday in the chamber of deputies on order of the day, has prevented a ministerial crisis at a critical moment, but it was only palliative, and the situation will remain precarious as long as the chamber does not contain a disciplined ministerial minority.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 27.—Midhat Pasha, and all others convicted of the murder of the late Sultan, except the two actual assassins, and Ezzet Pasha and Seyd Pasha, who were implicated in the crime, embarked Monday for El Hedjaz, Arabia, where they will remain in exile for life.

SOUTH AFRICA.

LONDON, July 27.—A correspondent at Durban says: As the difference which has arisen between the royal commission of Boers, with reference to the man Buskes is exciting attention, it is well that the republic should be made aware of the nature of the objection raised by the commissioners. Buskes is a Hollander. During the war he was a Boer general; Kruger's secretary and his adviser during the seige of Patchefstroom. The people of Patchefstroom complained bitterly of Bukes insolent manner and savage behavior to the prisoners and townspeople, and even graver charges were proferred against him. On the arrival of the Boer leaders at Newcastle, Natal, to attend the commission, they were accompanied by Buskes as secretary. Gen. Sir Evelyn Wood informed the commission that he would prefer some one else substituted for Buskes as the members naturally objected to being brought in contact with a person over whom such grave charges hung. Gen. Wood stated that Buskes might even have been arrested under the cluse of the truce providing for the punishment of those found guilty of acts contrary to the usages of civilized warfare. To this request the Boer leaders paid no attention, and much to the mortification of all Englishmen at Newcastle, Buskes contiued to attend the commission and swagger through the streets. What fresh cause of offence he had given to the commissioners is not known, but there is no difficulty in believing that his conduct has rendered it impossible for them to associate with him.

DURBAN, July 27. -- Five Boers charged with murdering magistrate Malcomb, have been acquitted. Indignation is freely expressed at Pretoria on account of this decision, which is declared to be contrary to the weight of evidence against the prisoners.

CAPE TOWN, July 27.--A telegram from East London states that a terrific gale occurred there. Three vessels were lost and thirty persons drowned.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, July 22.--The Chinese students will be withdrawn from the United States and educated in Europe, because the former are considered too progressive.

SARATOGA, July 27.— The paper makers' association met to-day. Much business was transacted and all the talk was in favor of a protective policy for the benefit of the people as well as the trade. Returns show increased production in 1880 over 1881 of 20 per cent. in book and news, and 33 per cent. in writing paper. Total capacity of mills 2500 tons per day.

AUGUSTA, Me., July 27.—A sale of the Sprague Manufacturing Company in Augusta took place to-day. The cotton mills, dam, saw mills, boarding houses, etc., fell to Sam'l Haines of Greenville, N. H., agent for White, Bliss & Fabrian of Boston, for $350,000.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—A sensational story about the president being at one time about to die, and the vice-president being on hand with the justice of the supreme court ready to swear in the new president, lacks the essential element of truth. Since two days immediately succeeding the shot of Guiteau, doctors have never dispaired of the president's life, and certainly nothing that indicated the slightest foundation for the story mentioned has ever occurred.

James W. Simonton, who has occupied the position of general agent of the New York Associated Press for the past 14 years, to-day tendered his resignation, and James C. Hueston, at present London agent of the New York Association, was appointed to succeed him.

ALBANY, July 27.—Some excitement prevailed here on a rumor of attempts to shoot Governor Cornell. It appears that a stranger walked up the stoop of the old capitol building and was about entering when Supt. Hyde noticing the strange appearance of the man, who was carrying an old fashioned gun on his shoulder, asked him where he was going. He replied, "I am adjutant general of this state." Hyde at once saw that the man was probably crazy and fearing that some harm to the state officials was intended, asked for the gun The stranger declined to give it up, when a struggle ensued for its possession. Hyde secured it. It was unloaded.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 27.—Rev. W. F. Whitcher, pastor of the Mathewson Street Methodist Church, charged with purloining rare books from the public libraries, confessed to the church and will leave the ministry.

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Annual Premiums on new Policies during the year 1880.............. £46,694 2 0

Claims by Death during the year 1880, exclusive of Bonus Additions. £437,037 3 5

Amount of Assurances Accepted during the last five years............£6,193,186 11 8

Subsisting Assurances at 15th Nov., 1880, (of which £1,416,383:14:10 is Re-assured with other offices)......£19,378,482 17 3

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ANNUAL REVENUE...... £849,994 7 11

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23	13 50	41	25 60
24	14 00	42	26 50
25	14 70	43	27 40
26	15 20	44	28 50
27	15 80	45	29 60
28	16 10	46	30 60
29	16 90	47	31 60
30	17 50	48	32 70
31	18 10	49	34 10
32	18 60	50	35 70
33	19 20	51	37 60
34	19 80	52	39 60
35	20 40	53	41 70
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LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$ 53,734 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 91,071 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	24,745 00	Gold Bullion	6,008 00
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	120,155 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	3,165 00
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	226,171 00	Landed and other Property	15,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	185,121 00
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	146,657 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$424,805 00	Total Amount of Assets	$447,922

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881.....$5,000,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders..............................5 per cent per annum
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year.............................$125,000.
Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend.........$750,000.

VICTORIA, B. C., 9th July, 1881.

(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
(Signed) JAMES CRAN, Accountant.

I, ROBERT BURNS, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864. (Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 9th day of July, 1881.
jy10 (Signed) J. H. TURNER, J. P.

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
Notes in circulation		$371,062 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver		$184,409 89
Balances due to other Banks and Branches		8,035 06	Gold Bullion		9,306 25
Deposits not bearing Interest	$763,762 01		Landed and other Property		20,111 46
Deposits bearing Interest	29,714 82		Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 4 088 74	
		793,476 83	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	525,260 22	
					529,348 96
			All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	685,022 20	
			Do. without the Province	26,877 04	
					711,899 24
Total Amount of Liabilities		$1,172,573 89	Total Amount of Assets		$1,461,075 80

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881..........$1,730,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders...............5 per cent. per annum.
Amount of last dividend declared..$43,250
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend............$226,560

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
(Signed) CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 21st July, 1881.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."
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